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Part A - Estimated Employment and Origin of Seasonal Hired Agricultural Workers,
by State and Selected Agricultural Reporting Area 1/
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Region, State, and agricultural reporting area	Total	U.S. Workers					Foreign			
		Total U.S. workers	Local	Intra- state	Inter- state	Contract Puerto Ricans <u>2/</u>	Total foreign	Mexican	BWI	Others <u>3/</u>
<u>U.S. Totals</u>	295,678	279,819	237,626	22,718	19,475	70	15,859	0	14,929	930
<u>Eastern Seaboard</u>	107,953	93,162	75,271	6,426	11,465	70	14,791	0	14,791	0
<u>Connecticut</u>	6,050	5,440	5,350	0	90	70	610	0	610	0
Tobacco Valley	6,050	5,440	5,350	0	90	70	610	0	610	0
<u>Florida</u>	83,563	69,492	51,691	6,426	11,375	0	14,071	0	14,071	0
Lake Okeechobee	33,779	23,890	17,030	1,650	5,210	0	9,889	0	9,889	0
Central Ridge	26,600	22,473	19,091	732	2,650	0	4,127	0	4,127	0
Tallahassee-Marianna	3,200	3,200	3,200	0	0	0	0	0	0	0
Other areas	19,984	19,929	12,370	4,044	3,515	0	55	0	55	0
<u>Massachusetts</u>	120	10	10	0	0	0	110	0	110	0
<u>North Carolina</u>	17,655	17,655	17,655	0	0	0	0	0	0	0
Elizabeth City	3,100	3,100	3,100	0	0	0	0	0	0	0
Washington	550	550	550	0	0	0	0	0	0	0
Kinston	525	525	525	0	0	0	0	0	0	0
Mount Olive	11,000	11,000	11,000	0	0	0	0	0	0	0
Winston-Salem	1,280	1,280	1,280	0	0	0	0	0	0	0
Other areas	1,200	1,200	1,200	0	0	0	0	0	0	0

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<u>South Carolina</u>	<u>565</u>	<u>565</u>	<u>565</u>	<u>0</u>	<u>0</u>	<u>0</u>	<u>0</u>	<u>0</u>	<u>0</u>	<u>0</u>
Flatwoods and Coastal Plains	565	565	565	0	0	0	0	0	0	0
<u>North Central</u>	<u>220</u>	<u>220</u>	<u>220</u>	<u>0</u>	<u>0</u>	<u>0</u>	<u>0</u>	<u>0</u>	<u>0</u>	<u>0</u>
<u>Missouri</u>	<u>220</u>	<u>220</u>	<u>220</u>	<u>0</u>	<u>0</u>	<u>0</u>	<u>0</u>	<u>0</u>	<u>0</u>	<u>0</u>
<u>South Central</u>	<u>77,261</u>	<u>77,123</u>	<u>75,968</u>	<u>690</u>	<u>465</u>	<u>0</u>	<u>138</u>	<u>0</u>	<u>138</u>	<u>0</u>
<u>Louisiana</u>	<u>3,175</u>	<u>3,037</u>	<u>2,772</u>	<u>230</u>	<u>35</u>	<u>0</u>	<u>138</u>	<u>0</u>	<u>138</u>	<u>0</u>
<u>Mississippi</u>	<u>1,546</u>	<u>1,546</u>	<u>1,546</u>	<u>0</u>	<u>0</u>	<u>0</u>	<u>0</u>	<u>0</u>	<u>0</u>	<u>0</u>
<u>Oklahoma</u>	<u>3,210</u>	<u>3,210</u>	<u>2,920</u>	<u>60</u>	<u>230</u>	<u>0</u>	<u>0</u>	<u>0</u>	<u>0</u>	<u>0</u>
<u>Texas</u>	<u>69,330</u>	<u>69,330</u>	<u>68,730</u>	<u>400</u>	<u>200</u>	<u>0</u>	<u>0</u>	<u>0</u>	<u>0</u>	<u>0</u>
Llano-Coastal	2,605	2,605	2,605	0	0	0	0	0	0	0
Rio Grande Plains	15,630	15,630	15,630	0	0	0	0	0	0	0
Coastal Bend	950	950	950	0	0	0	0	0	0	0
Lower Rio Grande V.	21,020	21,020	20,920	0	100	0	0	0	0	0
Trans-Pecos	1,220	1,220	1,220	0	0	0	0	0	0	0
Edwards Plateau	5,290	5,290	5,290	0	0	0	0	0	0	0
Northern Panhandle	1,325	1,325	1,225	100	0	0	0	0	0	0
High Rolling Plains	11,295	11,295	10,895	300	100	0	0	0	0	0
Central Texas	2,840	2,840	2,840	0	0	0	0	0	0	0
East Texas	3,780	3,780	3,780	0	0	0	0	0	0	0
Other areas	3,375	3,375	3,375	0	0	0	0	0	0	0

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<u>Western</u>	110,244	109,314	86,167	15,602	7,545	0	930	0	0	930
<u>Arizona</u>	<u>15,963</u>	<u>15,963</u>	<u>12,594</u>	<u>1,340</u>	<u>2,029</u>	<u>0</u>	<u>0</u>	<u>0</u>	<u>0</u>	<u>0</u>
Maricopa	8,297	8,297	7,197	250	850	0	0	0	0	0
Yuma	4,546	4,546	2,677	955	914	0	0	0	0	0
Cochise	550	550	425	85	40	0	0	0	0	0
Other areas	2,570	2,570	2,295	50	225	0	0	0	0	0
<u>California</u>	<u>90,250</u>	<u>89,320</u>	<u>70,110</u>	<u>13,910</u>	<u>5,300</u>	<u>0</u>	<u>930</u>	<u>0</u>	<u>0</u>	<u>930</u>
Desert	8,950	8,770	4,660	2,310	1,800	0	180	0	0	180
South Coast	13,000	12,250	9,350	2,050	850	0	750	0	0	750
Central Coast	5,150	5,150	4,600	400	150	0	0	0	0	0
North Coast	3,900	3,900	3,000	700	200	0	0	0	0	0
San Joaquin Valley	51,650	51,650	43,650	6,250	1,750	0	0	0	0	0
Sacramento Valley	7,600	7,600	4,850	2,200	550	0	0	0	0	0
<u>Montana</u>	<u>1,885</u>	<u>1,885</u>	<u>1,347</u>	<u>337</u>	<u>201</u>	<u>0</u>	<u>0</u>	<u>0</u>	<u>0</u>	<u>0</u>
Southern Sugar beet	375	375	270	55	50	0	0	0	0	0
Other areas	1,510	1,510	1,077	282	151	0	0	0	0	0
<u>New Mexico</u>	876	876	846	15	15	0	0	0	0	0

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Washington	1,270	1,270	1,270	0	0	0	0	0	0	0
South Central	650	650	650	0	0	0	0	0	0	0
West Central	620	620	620	0	0	0	0	0	0	0

^{1/} Agricultural areas selected for inclusion are those areas in which a peak of at least 10,000 seasonal hired workers or 1,000 foreign workers was reached in 1964 as reported in In-Season Farm Labor Reports, ES-223. Data for each area satisfying these criteria are presented monthly in this report. However, areas are omitted during months for which they are not required to submit ES-223 reports. Such reports are not required for periods in which fewer than 500 seasonal farmworkers are employed unless higher employment will be resumed after a "lay-by" period, foreign workers are employed, or specified shortages or surpluses of seasonal hired farmworkers exist. Figures are preliminary and subject to revision.

^{2/} The number of contract Puerto Rican workers is a subtotal of interstate migrant workers.

^{3/} Includes Canadians, Filipinos, and Japanese.